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IN RE APPLICATION OF: LUH-YAN LIN ET AL.

SERIAL NO.: 10/035,124

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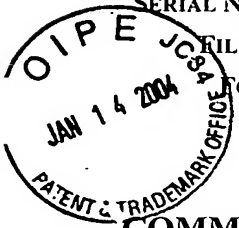
TITLE: REMOVAL PARTIAL DENTURE FREE OF  
PALATAL BAR OR LINGUAL BAR

GROUP ART UNIT: 3732

EXAMINER: Todd E. MANAHAM

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Total Claims	11	20 <sup>1</sup>	= 3	× \$ 9 = \$0.00	× \$ 18 =
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- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees due under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- ☒ Also enclosed is/are: **Petition for Extension of Time**

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**PATENT**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 15, 2003 in the above application. Reconsideration of the application is requested in view of the amendments and the remarks that follow. All claim cancellations and/or amendments are made without prejudice or disclaimer. Petition for an extension of time and the appropriate fee are submitted herewith.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.

**Attachment** following page 9 of this paper: 1 sheet containing corrected Figures 1a and 1b.